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May 25, 1993

Ms. Donna R. Searcy Secretary Federal Communications Commission 1919 M Street, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20554

Dear Ms. Searcy:

RE: MM Docket No. 92-266, Ex Parte Communication

Today Ed Durso, Executive Vice President and General Counsel, ESPN, Inc. and I attended a permissible <u>ex parte</u> meeting with Mr. Pat Donovan and Ms. Jennifer Manner to discuss the form to be used for calculating programming cost changes in accordance with this docket. Specifically, rate adjustments for new programming services should be first accounted for by a reformulation of the per-channel benchmark rate before external costs are calculated on the new form.

I am submitting this original letter and one copy for inclusion in the record.

Sincerely,

Charlene Vanlier

cc: P. Donovan

J. Manner

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